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Homicide Investigation

The Birmingham Police Department reports that detectives are conducting a homicide investigation. The incident occurred Tuesday, November 17, 2015 in the 1900 block of Alabama Avenue Southwest.

The victim's name is being withheld pending next of kin notifications.

On Tuesday, November 17, 2015 around 12:37pm, officers from the West Precinct were dispatched to the listed location on a person shot. Upon arrival, officers observed the victim being loaded into an ambulance. The victim was suffering from what appeared to be a gunshot wound to the chest area. The victim was transported to UAB where he was pronounced deceased by the medical staff.

Our preliminary investigation revealed the victim went outside his home to meet someone driving a gray vehicle. While outside, the victim was shot and left on the ground. This is an ongoing homicide investigation and additional information will be released as it becomes available.

If there is anyone who has information pertaining to the case, please contact the B.P.D. Homicide Unit @ 254-1764 or Crime Stoppers @ 254-7777.